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the Boys "Over There."

Liny, France,
February 11, 1919.
the American Expeditionary
Forces in France.
Just Kempf, Sr.,
Hondo, Texas, U. S. A.

I hope also of you all. I am having a good time in the Q. M. C., and all the boys are nice to me.

How is your garden? I guess it looks pretty now, and I wish I could see it. I suppose you already planted some corn and it may be up by the time you all get this letter. I hope it finds you all well, too.

Did you all hear from George and Laura? I guess you did, and where is papa and at what place is he now? I guess he is still in San Antonio. How are Uncle Louis and Aunt Emmie getting along? I hope they are all well just like I. Give them my best regards and that I wish them good luck. How are Uncle Louis and Aunt May getting along? I hope fine. And Uncle Willie and Aunt Gazzie, how are they? I hope they are well and also Mr. and Mrs. Wantz, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mann. I wish them all good luck.

As I have these few to spare, I thought that I would drop you a few lines to let you know I am getting along by this present I am feeling pretty well. I have two or three letters since I have been here but have never heard from you, perhaps you never received them. I am quite sure you would answer them by now if you have gotten my mail. I expect a bit of the mail was lost as the war was going on, at that we could not expect our mail as we are getting it now. At least we are having a real fast mail. I think the mail gets over 10 days. I think that is getting us in a hurry.

I have made real good in the Army, but am getting used to Army life, hope to come home soon. I don't know long we will be over here, it won't be so very long as we have been here 8 months, and these are the longest ever spent in all my life. As we have been here for a very good while I don't regret coming over here. I think I would like it better if I were with the home, but I haven't even seen any of them. I have been lucky enough to meet any from home, so you might a fellow feels rather lonely in a while.

I am glad that this terrible war is over. I got to see a good as we have been right with each other since we first came stayed right with them till peace was signed on the 11th of November, so you can imagine that have a very pleasant time war was going on. At present I am stationed not very far from home, that's the town where some of the most fierce fighting through the war. Well I am about all I know at I will have to come to a time hoping to hear from home. Best wishes to you all. Your nephew,

SERGT. PAUL F. KEMPF,
"A" Co. 537th. Engrs.
A. E. F.

La Milesse, Feb. 12, 1919.
R. Wolf E. Bohmfalk
Hondo, Texas.

evening try to write you all I am in a different place I last wrote to you and am in a different unit. I am now at K. 337 Inf.

morning of the 10th, when all packs and march down some place where all the of the 337 Inf. met; from us in districts. I belong district, and that includes Texas and Oklahoma. We to Camp Bowie, that is across. But I can't tell that will be.

all a letter a week or so you will do so, but by the letter gets here I might be back. So I will not trouble to write to me. If I get the mail it would be sent, but what is the use of writing, when I can't get the mail done so long without think I can stand it awhile

are you all getting along? like I. How are Grand-Hilda? You all may tell I am coming home soon. you the days seem like now since we are getting back across.

all get to see Geo, and say hello for me. I will do as soon as I find time, place to write.

now, with very much love

Pvt. EMIL BOHMFALK,
A. P. O. 789.
American E. F.

Feb. 19, 1919.
Breiten, Hondo, Tex.

mother, to write you a letter to now that I am well, which

Well Mary I will close for this time. Answer real soon. Well bye bye, with best wishes to grandma and all.

From your loving cousin,
Pvt. JOE A. BREITEN,
Prov. Supply Co. Sub. Depot No. 1,
American E. F., P. O. 762,
Lemans, France.

The Doughboys in the Trenches.

The address of Mr. E. E. Dilley of San Antonio to the people of Hondo at the Methodist Church Thursday night was a real treat to them. The subject was "The Doughboy in the Trenches". Although arrangements for the addressing had been made late in the evening the people responded to the call immediately after being notified and a large, attentive and appreciating audience listened to the highly interesting and instructive address.

The speaker at the beginning mentioned and defended the good work of the Y. M. C. A., of which he was an active member in France for about a year. He pictured out the duties of those men carrying refreshments and warm meals to the men in the trenches, at the firing line, the danger they were in and the difficulties they had.

While the speaker admitted that in a few cases complaints against members of the Association made by soldiers were justified, he asserted that such cases were only exceptions and not the rule. In an able manner then Mr. Dilley illustrated the trench warfare, the battles of Chateau-Thierry, the capture of the St. Mihiel salient and the great Argonne drive; how an order to "capture some prisoners to obtain information about the location of the enemy" is carried out; how machine gun nests are built, how guns are hidden, discovered and destroyed, the bombardment of enemy airplanes; how to protect against artillery bullets and how even a stout man tries to make himself thin, lying flat on the ground when bullets are flying low. He cited remarks of doughboys with dark complexion in such moments of danger. He pictured beautiful Paris and French villages, but in vain he looked for laundries, as we have them in America.

Then Mr. Dilley urged people and preacher to prepare to meet the now different views of the returning soldiers.

Wanted Wood for Government.

I am in the market for 2500 cords of Mesquite wood; can use Green wood or dry wood. Can pay cash. Will buy from any one that has wood to offer in Carload lots. Address T. J. Martin, Spofford, Texas. 34-4t

PLANTS FOR SALE: Tomatoes, Cabbage, Beets, Kohl-Rabi, Lettuce, at 10 cents per dozen; Sweet Peppers, five varieties, at 20 cents per dozen. Postage extra. Mrs. H. B. TAYLOR, Hondo, Tex. 324t

Oil Company Chartered.

Among the charters granted by the state this week was one issued to the Medina Oil Development Co., the names of J. M. Finger, Joe Ney and R. J. Noonan being mentioned in the charter.

It is the purpose of the company to be formed under this charter to make a thorough effort to locate the oil pool we all believe to exist in this county. We understand that it is the purpose of the company to secure the services of a geologist to make a thorough survey of the county and whatever spot he designates as the most probable for oil to be found will be the scene of the first effort by the company.

As this is not a "fly by night" company but a composed of home people who have the welfare of the country at heart—the attitude of our people toward the company is obvious. Let there be no knockers but all boosters; let every one that can possibly do so aid the company to their utmost by subscribing for as much of its stock as their financial condition will allow.

This will not be a company of visionaries but will be composed of cool, hard-headed business men—men who have made a success of their own affairs. They believe there are millions of dollars of wealth beneath the surface in Medina county, and so strong is their faith in their ability to locate this hidden treasure they are putting in thousands of dollars of their own means. But it will take a large sum of money to accomplish what they propose doing, and we trust they will receive the encouragement their enterprise merits. If they strike oil, which we confidently predict, then you will see the pennies you invest in stock grow into dollars over night. There are more huge fortunes made in oil today than in all the other great industries combined.

When the company gets thoroughly organized and puts its stock on the market do your part in aiding in the development work shortly to begin.

At The Catholic Church.

Rev. Jos. Weckesser, S. M. of St. Mary's College, San Antonio, will assist the Pastor tomorrow, Sunday. There will be a Low Mass at 8 o'clock. At 9:30, High Mass during which the Senior and Junior Holy Name Societies will receive Holy Communion.

At the evening Services at 7:30 there will be a solemn reception of new Members into the Holy Name Society.

Agent Wanted.

Live agent to represent us in Hondo and vicinity. No stock, but a real live oil proposition. \$25.00 cash and \$10.00 on monthly payments. Get full particulars address or call Texas Petroleum Investment Co., 307 Gunter Building, San Antonio. 33-2tp

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Hondo, Auditorium

MARCH 25, 1919

Music by Willett's Orchestra

Admission \$1.00. Ladies Free

Mrs. Leo Filleman.

The coffin with the mortal remains of Mrs. Leo Filleman (nee Annie de Groot) arrived here on the 6:43 passenger from El Paso Thursday evening. Mrs. Filleman died at her home in El Paso Tuesday, March 18, 1919, after only a short illness, a bad cold. Mrs. Henry F. Buss of New Fountain, her sister, had been visiting her and was present at the hour of her death.

The funeral took place at the new cemetery at Hondo at 3:00 p.m. yesterday. A great number of relatives and friends followed the remains of deceased to their last resting place. Rev. A. Falkenberg performed the last sad rites.

Deceased was about 46 years of age at the time of her death. She was a native of this county, being born at Sturm Hill where she grew up to womanhood. Besides her husband, who at the time of her demise was in Arizona, deceased leaves 2 brothers, Ben and Ertiz de Groot, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Henry F. Buss and Mrs. Jul. Bless, and 3 children, of whom one son serves in the navy and arrived here Friday morning, also a great number of other relatives and friends.

Rev. J. E. Threadgill will commence a revival meeting in the Nazarene Church on Friday night before the fourth Sunday in April; to continue over two or three Sundays. A good attendance will be highly appreciated. God's children are requested to pray, come and labor for the salvation of the unsaved and sanctification of the unsanctified. Rev. J. T. Horger.

Mrs. Earl Starnes and Mrs. Charlie Schuehle went to San Antonio Saturday. Mrs. Starnes was expecting to meet her husband, Lieutenant Starnes, who was to arrive from Ft. Worth some time during the week.

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Bookfold Percale, light, dark and fancy colors	15c	Boy's pants in all sizes, (knickerbockers)	48c	Fancy Dress Ginghams, the latest patterns	25c
Lady's handkerchiefs, in fancy designs05c	Men's work pants, khaki, extra fine quality	\$1.48	Great reductions on Laces and Embroidery.	
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Ed Ney spent this week in San An-

tonio on business.

A lot of new spring hats just receiv-

ed at Mrs. Haralson's. 32

A \$375.00 piano for \$275.00—a new

instrument, guaranteed. See V. A.

Crow. 27-tf

Rolf Balzen of Knippa came down

Thursday evening to attend the funeral

of Mrs. Leo Filleman here yesterday.

Call around and ask how you can get

Rogers' silverware free, at C. R.

Gaines'. 32

FOR SALE—Eggs from the large

sized, winter-laying White Leghorn

chickens, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs.

Apply to Tom. Holloway. 23

Fritz Bohlen went to San Antonio

Wednesday where he also visited our

patients in the hospital, Messrs. Flet-

cher Davis and Jim Hall, whom he

found doing well.

LOST—Will pay \$5.00 for return of

eye glasses, ear hook and chain at-

tached, case from H. C. Rees Co.,

San Antonio, Texas. Lost in auto or

on road West of Hondo Sunday after-

noon, Mar. 16th. J. J. Hodges, 2201

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cotton seed, from second years, plant-

ing, at the rate of \$75.00 per ton.

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Ward, Yancey, Texas. 32

Mrs. Fannie Broers, Miss Zella

Broers, Mrs. J. T. Smith, Miss

Amanda Smith, Jerry Smith and Will

Neuman attended the funeral of Miss

Rosalie Griffith in San Antonio Satur-

day.

FOUND—End gate of a Mitchell wa-

gon and parts of a cultivator. Owner

can recover same by calling at this of-

fice, identifying property and paying

for this notice.

Telephone Batteries. Holloway

Bros. 34-

Information has been received from

Mrs. Loretta Smith that her mother,

Mrs. T. A. Dean, had died and was

buried near Paris, Texas, before she

arrived at her bedside. Mrs. Dean at

one time lived near Hondo and friends

here will be sorry to learn of her

death.

Aug. Weynand, with an honorable

discharge in his pocket, returned Fri-

day evening of last week from El Paso

and has resumed his place in civil life.

He was glad to get home and again be

able to give his attention to the busi-

ness of the Citizens' Motor Car Co.

of which he is an active member. He

looks to be in the best of health. Uncle

Sam's menu evidently agreeing with

him.

Lieutenant Horace M. King and Mrs.

King arrived Monday night from At-

lanta, Ga., the present headquarters

of the lieutenant. He looks to be in

the pink of condition, army life evi-

dently agreeing with him. It is his

purpose to leave about the first of the

week on his return to Atlanta. Mrs.

King will not return with Lieutenant

King to his headquarters as he expects

to shortly be either mustered out or

transferred to San Antonio.

News of the death of Mrs. G. E.

Fuller, which occurred at Waxahachie

on the afternoon of March 10, will

cause a shock of pain to a large circle

of friends in this section, where she

resided up to about two years ago.

Her death was due to pneumonia re-

sulting from influenza. She was the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore

of Hondo. Mrs. W. J. Ernest and

Mr. John Moore, sister and brother of

the deceased, attended the funeral.

A good woman has gone to her reward.

May she rest in peace.

Miss Rosalie Griffith.

Miss Rosalie Griffith, 15, died at 7 o'clock Friday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Griffith, 805 Burleson Street. She was a native of Bexar County and had resided in San Antonio two years. Surviving, besides her parents, are four sisters and one brother. The funeral which will be private, will be held at the residence at 10 o'clock this morning. Interment will be made in City Cemetery No. 3—San Antonio Express March 15.

The death of this lovely young girl caused profound sorrow to a large circle of friends in Hondo. The Express is in error in claiming her as a native of Bexar county. She was born in Medina county and spent her entire life up to the time of moving to San Antonio with her parents, in Hondo and vicinity. She was greatly esteemed by a large circle of friends among the young people of Hondo who will long hold her in fond remembrance. She was a member of the Christian Church and conducted her life strictly in accordance with its teachings. Her pastor, Elder W. D. Bills, conducted the funeral services.

While her death is a crushing blow to her parents, the knowledge that, when the black-winged messenger beckoned she was ready, should be a consolation to them in their hour of grief. May a benign Heavenly Father comfort them in their grief, is the wish of their friends in Hondo.

Hose. Holloway Bros.

Sweeps. Holloway Bros.

Oil stoves. Holloway Bros.

Louis Schorp and Joe Speltel were here from Riomedina last Saturday.

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Shop. 29

For Sale—Some nice young shoats. See H. R. Bailey. It

Miss Dora Filleman visited her sister, Miss Marie, in San Antonio Sunday.

SEEDED RIBBON CANE seed at the Farmers' Union Warehouse. 30

Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan visited in San Antonio Wednesday. 27

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For Automobile Supplies, Good Year Tires and Columbia Batteries, see, write or phone Citizens Motor Car Co.

Mrs. Chas. O. Wood of San Antonio and Mr. Gus. Clarke of Lexington, Ky. were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cameron. 26

Mr. Hermeydo Martinez and Sirlita Nicarara Gonzales were married at the court house March 21, 1919. Judge Lamm performed the ceremony.

Right Rev. A. J. Drossaerts D. D., Bishop of San Antonio, got off the train here Tuesday on his way to D'Hanis where he was to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on the following day. He was met by a delegation from D'Hanis and after a short visit to the local Catholic Church and Rectory the party left for D'Hanis accompanied by Rev. F. Pallanche.

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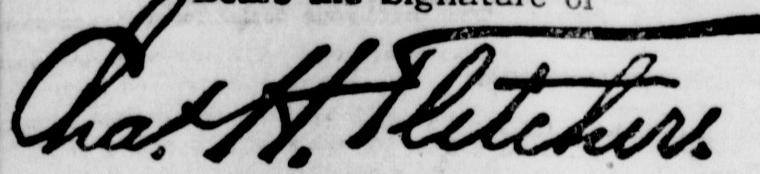
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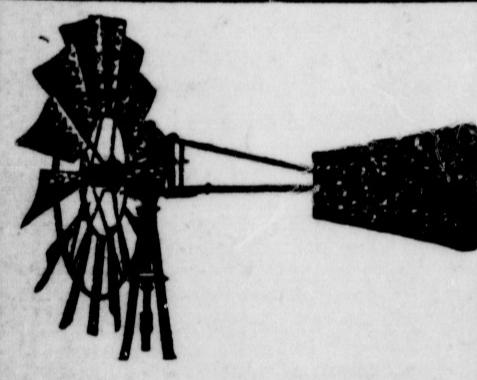
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Nazarene Regular Services.

Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Cumming, on Saturday night and Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., embracing the first Sunday of each month.

Preaching by Rev. J. T. Horger on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., on second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., each Sunday.

Cottage prayer meeting every Tuesday night.

Prayer meeting at the Church on Friday night.

Your attendance will be very much appreciated. Come, let us worship God.

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All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

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SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an EFFICIENT antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BOROZONE is the IDEAL ANTISEPTIC and HEALING AGENT. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

If you want to be successful, learn to save. Acquire the habit through purchasing W. S. S. regularly.

A pain in the side or back that catches you when you straighten up calls for a rubbing application of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It relaxes the contracted muscles and permits ordinary bodily motion without suffering or inconvenience. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

RED CROSS GIFTS \$400,000,000

War Council on Retirement Announces Cash and Supplies Contributed.

WORKERS WILL "CARRY ON."

Five Big Societies in World Wide Plan.
H. P. Davison Heads International American Red Cross Commission.
Dr. Livingston Farrand Permanent Leader of Peace Organization.

Washington.—(Special)—Henry P. Davison as chairman issues the following statement on behalf of the War Council of the American Red Cross:

"To the American People:

"The War Council of the American Red Cross appointed by President Wilson on May 10, 1917, to carry on the work of the American Red Cross during the war, at their request and by vote of the Central Committee, ceased at midnight, February 28.

"Immediately the armistice was signed the War Council instituted studies to determine when the strictly war work of the organization would have been sufficiently matured to enable the direction of affairs to be assumed by the permanent staff. Henry P. Davison, being in Paris when the armistice was signed, summoned a conference there of the heads of all the Red Cross Commissions in Europe to canvass the situation. After considering all the factors it was concluded to make the transition on March 1. The very fortunate choice of Dr. Livingston Farrand as the new chairman of the Central Committee, and thereby the permanent chief executive of the Red Cross, makes possible the consummation of this plan under the most favorable conditions.

Accounts Audited by War Department.

"Detailed reports to Congress and a complete audit of its accounts by the War Department will constitute the final record of Red Cross activity during the war. Although it has been the rule to make public all expenditures when authorized and to give detailed information relative to all work undertaken, the War Council in turning over its responsibilities to Dr. Farrand and his associates desire to give a brief resume of Red Cross war time activities to the American people, to whom the Red Cross belong, and whose generous contributions have made possible all that has been accomplished.

"During the past nearly twenty-one months the American people have given in cash and supplies to the American Red Cross more than \$400,000,000. No value can be placed upon the contributions of service which have been given without stint and oftentimes at great sacrifice by millions of our people.

"The effort of the American Red Cross in this war has constituted by far the largest voluntary gifts of money, of hand and heart, ever contributed purely for the relief of human suffering. Through the Red Cross the heart and spirit of the whole American people have been mobilized to take care of our own, to relieve the misery incident to the war, and also to reveal to the world the supreme ideals of our national life.

"Everyone who has had any part in this war effort of the Red Cross is entitled to congratulate himself. No thanks from anyone could be equal in value to the self satisfaction everyone should feel for the part taken. Fully 8,000,000 American women have exerted themselves in Red Cross service.

"Has Over 17,000,000 Adult Members. "When we entered the war the American Red Cross had about 500,000 members. Today, as the result of the recent Christmas membership Roll Call, there are upwards of 17,000,000 full paid members outside of the members of the Junior Red Cross, numbering perhaps 9,000,000 school children additional.

"The chief effort of the Red Cross during the war has been to care for our men in service and to aid our army and navy wherever the Red Cross may be called on to assist. As to this phase of the work Surgeon General Ireland of the U. S. Army recently said: "The Red Cross has been an enterprise as vast as the war itself. From the beginning it has done those things which the Army Medical Corps wanted done, but could not do itself."

"The Red Cross endeavor in France has naturally been upon an exceptionally large scale where service has been rendered to the American Army and to the French Army and the French people as well, the latter particularly during the trying period when the Allied World was waiting for the American Army to arise in force and power. Hospital emergency service for our army in France has greatly diminished, but the Red Cross is still being called upon for service upon a large scale in the great base hospitals, where thousands of American sick and wounded are still receiving attention. At these hospitals the Red Cross supplies huts and facilities for the amusement and recreation of the men as they become convalescent. Our Army of Occupation in Germany was followed with Medical units prepared to render the same emergency aid and supply service which was the primary business of the Red Cross during hostilities. The Army Canteen service along the lines of travel has

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Our Castroville Page

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VILLE, March 20, 1919

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

We were certainly sorry to learn of the deplorable accident which happened to Mr. Davis, the boss editor of this valuable paper, and heartily join his many friends in sympathizing and in wishing the gentleman a speedy and permanent recovery.

Mr. Louis Fuos and Rev. Walter Kralik were Alamo City business visitors one day of the past week.

Mesdames White and Wallace, and sister, Miss Rosa Halbardier, of San Antonio, paid a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eug. Halbardier, Sunday.

Alois Grimsinger, Louis J. and Eug. Mangold, and Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus, with Robert Rihm as chauffeur, attended the funeral of Mrs. C. Heiser, nee Grimsinger, their sister and aunt respectively, at Center Point Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Biediger, Jr., and sons, Amos and Herbert, and daughter, Mrs. Alfred Ahr, and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haegelin at Hondo Sunday.

Sam. Tschirhart, another one of our soldier boys, arrived at home from El Paso Sunday evening, he being honorably discharged.

Tom Schuchart and sister, Miss Gladis, visited in San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. John Schorp and little son were here from Riomedina one day this week.

Miss Florence Biediger has returned to Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bader were here from Biry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, spent several days with relatives in San Antonio.

Chas. Sues and Mrs. Josephine Naegelin were Lytle visitors during the week.

Miss Elvera Wurzbach was here from Cliff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jungman and daughter and Mrs. Mary Wernette of Riomedina were here Saturday.

Pete Tschirhart was out from San Antonio one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ney of Hondo visited Mesdames Theresa Ney and Henry Steinle Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lebold Brieden of San Antonio spent several days here with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brieden and family.

Bill Rihm and sister, Miss Gertrude, were Alamo city visitors one day this week.

Mrs. Joe Braden of San Antonio is visiting relatives here this week.

Nr. and Mrs. Jack Reiley, Mrs. Henry Rothe Jr. and Mrs. Chas. Boog of D'hanis visited relatives and friends here one day this week.

Jos. Courand was out from San Antonio one day this week.

Otto Wurzbach was here from Cliff Thursday.

Winfred Whitehead, Chas. de Montel and Julius Jungman were in San Antonio one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wurzbach and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schuchart were San Antonio visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schott and little daughter, Florence, of Devine spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Emil Tondre spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muennink at Hondo.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make this beauty lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

Germany, in consideration of a deposit of £11,000,000 in gold at Brussels, will receive an immediate delivery of 270,000 tons of foodstuffs, according to a Berlin version of the agreement entered into between the German delegates and representatives of the allied powers at Brussels. Germany will further be entitled to purchase monthly 370,000 tons of food in enemy and neutral countries, besides fish from European waters, and vegetables.

All Druggists

Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has stood the test of time and can be depended upon.

For a Bad Cold.

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Weekly Health Talks

What Doctor Pierce Has Done For Humanity!

BY DOCTOR CHAPPS.

It has always seemed to me that Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N.Y., should be placed near the top when a list of America's great benefactors is written. He studied and conquered human diseases to a degree that few realize. Whenever he found a remedy that overcame disease, he at once announced it in the newspapers and told where it could be bought at a small price. He did not follow the usual custom of keeping the ingredients secret, so that the rich only could afford to buy the medicine, but openly printed the name of each root and herb he used. And so to-day the names of Dr. Pierce and his medicines are widely known, and they stand for better health and better citizenship.

One of this great physician's most successful remedies is known as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. These are little, sugar-coated pills, composed of Mayapple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap—things that Nature grows in the ground.

These Pellets are safe because they move the bowels gently, leaving no bad after-effects, as so many pills do. Very often they make a person who takes them feel like a new man or woman, for they cleanse the intestines of hard, decayed and poisonous matter that accumulates when one is constipated. If you are constipated, by all means go to your druggist and get some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They may prove to be the very thing your system requires to make you well and happy.

LaCoste Ledger Laconics.

Mr. Eng. Belzung of Cliff, and Mrs. Frank Hoffmann and Mrs. Ed. Jungmann from here were Hondo business visitors Monday.

Mrs. Lena Ney of Hondo spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Joe Keller.

Mr. Wm. Zizelman and sister from San Antonio were visiting relatives here Tuesday.

Miss Delta Lutz of D'hanis is staying with J. L. Mechler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bohl and children from Devine were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungmann Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ahr and family from Castroville were here on business and pleasure Sunday.

Pvt. Oscar Droitcourt of Camp Normoyle paid a visit to Joe Droitcourt and family Sunday evening.

Mesdames Emil Zimmermann, Peter Rihm, George Karm and Julius Tschirhart visited Mrs. Louisa Biediger Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biry and children from Hurley, New Mexico, are the guests of E. F. Bippert and family of the Sauz.

For Diseases of the Skin.

Nearly all diseases of the skin such as eczema, tetter, salt rheum and barber's itch are characterized by an intense itching and smarting, which often makes life a burden and disturbs sleep and rest. Quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It relieves the itching and smarting almost instantly.

Texas farmers are so busy at planting corn they sometimes momentarily forget to look out for oil signs.

Try This For Sour Stomach.

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly. Eat but little meat and none at all for supper. If you are still troubled with sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's Tablets before going to bed.

W. S. S. means sane saving. Get the habit.

Essenkay ENDSTIRE TROUBLES

ESSENKAY, the wonderful substitute for air, positively ends tire troubles—prevents punctures, blisters, and "slow leaks"—cures life of your cassingue, cuts tire expense about half—makes carrying of extra tubes, tires or rims unnecessary.

No Punctures, No Blowouts!

We secured the exclusive agency for ESSENKAY Tire Filler because we proved positively its remarkable merit. If you know the expense, time and worry that ESSENKAY has saved thousands of car owners during the past five years, you wouldn't go another day without it. We have convincing proof. Let us show you!

Come in—See for yourself!

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For further Particulars see

Louis Carle, D'hanis, Texas
Fritz Senne, Phone 973, Hondo, Tex.

Devine News Items.

Mrs. Henry Jones, nee Orpha Augusta Vanpelt, a native of Mississippi, age 73 years, died near Natalia, Sunday night, leaving an aged husband and some grown children. Deceased came with her parents to Texas when a child and settled near Hondo City, this county. She was married in 1880 to Henry Jones, and they had lived in this part only one year prior to death, at Black Creek.

On Wednesday morning, Raymond, the four years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bader of the Biry neighborhood, happened to a very serious and painful burn. The mother and father were out of the house, the little fellow got out of bed and went to the fire; his clothing caught and burned about the back of the body not only painful, but the doctor really is anxious about the internal effects. In trying to put out the fire, the things in the house caught on fire and Mrs. Bader had a time putting out the fire in the house, after the child was saved.

County Assessor Lou E. Heath spent a few days in Devine this week assessing taxes.

To all Who are Interested in Canning.

I am going to have with me Mr. Harry A. Clap, meat and game canning specialist of the A. & M. College, who will give demonstrations in canning at Hondo Auditorium Mar. 28, at 2:30 p.m.

Yancey School house Mar. 27, 2:30 p.m.

Devine High School Mar. 25, 2:30 p.m.

Lacoste Public School Mar. 26, 2:30 p.m.

Enterprise School house Mar. 24, 2:30 p.m.

All are invited to attend these Demonstrations.

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LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP.



Wifey—The cost of living is going up every day. It's almost prohibitive.

Hubby—I wish the cost of getting married was prohibitive.

Expensive, Nevertheless.

"I have a note to meet," said Leach. "Twas not the usual whine—It's a note to meet a peach And take her out to dine."

All Arranged.

Mother—Do you mean to tell me that you and Jack Addlepate are to marry?

Daughter—I do not only mean to tell you, mamma, but Jack.

Bad Taste In Your Mouth.

When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know that our digestion is faulty. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You will find this to be one of the best medicines you have ever become acquainted with.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is well closed the result is deafness, and unless the inflammation can be removed and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness caused by catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



In the Health and Strength of the Wives and Mothers Rests the Future Integrity of the Nation.

We must preserve our womanhood. There is need, greater or less, for strong women. Apparently, the race is not as sturdy as formerly or our women are victims of an over-civilization and less able to resist disease.

Thousands suffer and thousands more are destined to suffer from the most insidious of diseases, catarrh. Ninety-seven per cent of the people have catarrh. It is not confined to the head, nose and throat as many suppose. Catarrhal inflammation may attack the stomach, bowels or any portion of the body where there are mucous linings. It is no respecter of persons or position. Everyone is liable to attack.

Mrs. Mary Fricke, 507 Bonham St., Bellville, Ill., was one of its victims. She says: "I have weighed as little as 100 pounds. For years I suffered with my stomach, cramps and severe headaches. After reading Dr. Hartman's Health Book, I decided to try Peruna. The first

bottle brought good results, but I was bound to get well, I took

Fifteen years ago, I started with Peruna and I wouldn't give up.

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HAPPIER WITHOUT HIM.



"You eloped with Jack, didn't you? I suppose you've lived happily ever since?"

"All but the first week. Then we separated."

Forgot What He Needed.

From the Republican, Mt. Gilead, Ohio: The editor had an interesting experience some time ago, when a young gentleman came to this office and asked for a copy of the Morrow County Republican.

He scrutinized it carefully when a copy was handed him, and then said: "Now I know!" "What is it you are looking for," we inquired.

"My wife sent me after a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I forgot the name. I went to several stores and the clerks named over everything in the line on the shelf except 'Chamberlain's'. I'll try again, and I'll never go home without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy."

The Republican would suggest to the proprietors of stores, that they post their clerks, and never let them substitute. Customers lose faith in stores where substituting is permitted, to say nothing of the injustice to makers of good goods and the disappointment of customers.

Henry Mazurek and family of Devine are visiting relatives here a few weeks.—Mrs. de Montel of the Stein ranch was in town Saturday shopping.—Bandera New Era.

A pleasant Physic.

When you want a pleasant physic Chamberlain's Tablets are the best.

They are mild and gentle in their action and always produce a pleasant cathartic effect.

DICTIONARIES are in use

No 5705
Report of Condition of
The First National Bank
at Hondo, in the State of Texas
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 4, 1919

RESOURCES

Deposits and discounts, including rediscounts (except those shown in b and c)	\$225,400.07
Total loans	225,400.07
Deposits and bills rediscounted (other than bank acceptances sold) see Item 57a)	\$5,609.00
Drafts—secured, None; unsecured, \$1,642.08	
Bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness):	
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	
LIBERTY LOAN BONDS:	
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½, 4, and 4½ per cent, unpledged.	
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	5,609.00
Value of Banking house owned and unincumbered	5000.00
Useful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	
Bank in vault and net amounts due from National Banks	
Amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14, or 15	
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	
Decks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due	
War Saving Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	
Other assets, if any: Difference Liabilities (Items 26a and 26b)	
Total.	

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	
Surplus fund	
Undivided profits	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	
Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)	
Circulating notes outstanding	
Amounts Due to National Banks	
Total of items 32, 33, 34 and 35	
Individual deposits subject to check	
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41.	235,348.13
TOTAL.	
Liabilities for rediscouts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d)	
Total contingent liabilities (57 a, b, and c)	

HORACE BRADLEY, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
ED. DE MONTEL,
AUGUST KEMPF,
J. M. FINGER. { Directors

Quihi Notes.
A number of here attending school entertainment at Hill school house left Friday.

Walter Boehle, Charlie Brucks Louis Oefinger of here, who entered into the Texas Infantry Guard some six months were called to Devine Monday for Federal inspection and for a good exercise of a few days. They returned home Monday evening, all feeling happy for getting their six days back pay. They had an active day. These boys are getting a call soon for military service.

Walter Boehle lost a valuable cow Monday.

W. F. Boehle and daughter, Miss Bertha, were Hondo on Sunday.

W. Hy. Buss was here Monday.

Walter Brucks visited his best friend at Dunlay Sunday. Keep well, Walter.

Misses Pearl and Myrtle Riffen Antonio were here, visiting home folks. While here they attended the singing here last night.

A. Balzen and wife visited Moehring and family Sunday.

G. Eckhardt and family, Balzen and son, Alvin, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Herring here Sunday.

A CHILD MUST GROW

A child cannot choose its period of growth. Nature

endeavors to this with laws well-nigh inalterable. A

child of retarded growth or feeble vitality needs

and should have help to promote healthful growth.

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abundant in nourishing substances that promote

growth and strength, is invaluable in its

help to a growing child. Scott's helps a

child over the weak places.

Scott's helps a backward child develop naturally.

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The most scientific and most wonder-

ful facial preparation of the modern age.

It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful in appearance and pleasing in effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind.

In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion. All dealers 50c,

50c, and \$1.00.

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Reserve District No. 11
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Total of items 32, 33, 34 and 35	
Individual deposits subject to check	
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41.	235,348.13
TOTAL.	
Liabilities for rediscouts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see Item 1d)	
Total contingent liabilities (57 a, b, and c)	

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County of Medina, at the Court House
thereof, in town of Hondo, Texas, on
the 6th Monday after the first Monday
in March, 1919, the same being the
14th day of April, A. D. 1919, then
and there to answer a Petition filed
in said Court, on the 13th day of
March, A. D. 1919, in a suit num-
bered on the docket of said Court No.
1857, wherein Nancy Holden Bennett
is plaintiff and Alvin Bennett is defend-
ant. The nature of the plaintiff's de-
mand being as follows, to wit:

That she is an actual bona fide in-
habitant of the State of Texas, having
resided in said State continuously all of
her life, and that she has resided in
Medina County for more than one year
next preceding the filing of this suit:
That during the year 1898, in Hondo,
Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to
defendant, Alvin Bennett, then a
single man; but that very shortly after
their said marriage and during that same
year, the defendant, without notice, and
without cause abandoned and deserted
plaintiff and left for parts unknown to
plaintiff, since which time they have
not lived together as husband and wife.
That shortly after defendant deserted
plaintiff a child was born of said union,
and plaintiff without the assistance of
defendant, supported and reared the
said child up to womanhood, and at no
time since the year 1898 has the de-
fendant contributed anything towards
the support and maintenance of plain-
tiff or said child.

Plaintiff alleges that said misconduct
and desertion on the part of defendant
was due to no fault of hers, and that
she at all times conducted herself as a
dutiful and faithful wife.

Plaintiff further alleges that said
marriage relations continue to exist,
but that defendant's actions towards
her and his absolute and complete aban-
donment of her renders their fur-
ther living together as husband and wife
insupportable, premises consid-
ered.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the court
that defendant be cited to appear and
answer herein and for judgment dis-
solving said marriage relations between
plaintiff and defendant and for such
other relief, in law and equity that she
may be justly entitled.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before
said Court, on the said first day of the
next term thereof, this Writ, with
your endorsement thereon, showing
how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of
said Court, at office in Hondo, this, the
13th day of March A. D. 1919.

[L. S.] AUGUST KEMPF,
Clerk District Court, Medina Co., Tex.

Citation by Publication.

In the District Court of Medina Coun-
ty, 38th Jud. Dist. of Texas.

Francisco Caseres
No. 1858, vs.

Felice Vesa de Caseres.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Medina County—Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded, that,
by making Publication of this Citation
in some newspaper published in the
County of Medina, for four weeks pre-
vious to the return day hereof, you
summon Felice Vesa de Caseres, whose
residence is unknown, to be and appear
before the Hon. District Court, at the
next regular term thereof, to be helden the
County of Medina, at the Court
House thereof, in Hondo, Tex., on the
6th Monday after the 1st Monday in
March, 1919, the same being the 14th
day of April, A. D. 1919, then and there
to answer a Petition filed in said
Court, on the 13th day of March, A. D.
1919, in a suit numbered on the docket
of said Court No. 1858, wherein Francisco
Caseres is plaintiff, and Felice
Vesa de Caseres is defendant. The
nature of the plaintiff's demand being
as follows, to wit:

That he is an actual and bona fide in-
habitant and resident of the State of
Texas and has continuously resided in
said State for more than one year, and
in said county for more than six months
next preceding the filing of this suit;

That on May 10th, 1891, in Eagle Pass,
Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to
Felice Vesa, the defendant herein, who
was at said time a single woman.

That after their said marriage plain-
tiff and defendant lived together as
husband and wife until the 13th day of
November, 1911, when defendant de-
serted their home, and permanently
abandoned plaintiff, since which time
they have not lived together as
husband and wife. That said abandon-
ment was not caused through any fault
or misconduct on the part of plaintiff,
who at all time was kind and affectionate
toward defendant, and at all times
amply provided her with all of the
necessaries of life; But that defendant
was of a very quarrelsome disposition
and was never satisfied with anything;
That she continually abused and mis-
treated the plaintiff for a period of
two years immediately preceding their
separation, and then finally deserted
him without cause; that said marriage
relations between plaintiff and defendant
continue to exist; but defendant's con-
duct to and concerning plaintiff
are of such a nature as to render
their further living together as
husband and wife, insupportable, the
premises considered.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant
be cited to answer herein and for
judgment dissolving said marriage
relations, and for other relief general
and special, in law and in equity, to
which he may be justly entitled.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before
said Court, on the said first day of the
next term thereof, this Writ, with
your endorsement thereon, showing
how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of
said Court, at office in Hondo, this, the 13th
day of March, A. D. 1919.

[L. S.] AUGUST KEMPF,
Clerk District Court Medina Co., Tex.

Senate Joint Resolution No 13.

A resolution to amend Section 5 of
Article IV of the Constitution of
the State of Texas, as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thou-
sands," found in the third line of
Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof
the words "Ten Thousand," and
adding after the word "furniture"
the words, "and this clause shall be
self-enacting," and making an ap-
propriation to pay necessary ex-
penses hereof.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the
State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Section No. 5 of
Article IV of the Constitution of
the State of Texas be so amended as
hereafter to read as follows:

SECTION 5 ARTICLE IV. GOVERNOR'S SALARY AND MANSION.

He shall at stated times receive as
compensation for his service an annual
salary of ten thousand dollars, and no
more, and shall have the use and
occupation of the Governor's Mansion,
fixtures and furniture, and this clause
shall be self-enacting.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional
amendment shall be submitted to a
vote of the qualified electors for mem-
bers of the Legislature at an election
to be held throughout the State of
Texas on the fourth Saturday in May,
A. D. 1919, same being the twenty-
fourth day of May, A. D. 1919, and
the Governor of this State is hereby
directed to make the necessary
proclamation for said election and to
have the same duly published as re-
quired by the Constitution and laws of
this state. Said election shall be held
under and in accordance with the
general election laws of the State and
the official ballot shall have printed or
written thereon in plain letters the
words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT," and
also the words, "For the amendment to
Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitu-
tion of the State of Texas in regard to
the salary of the Governor of the
State of Texas," and also the words,
Against the amendment to Section 5 of
Article IV of the Constitution of the
State of Texas in regard to the salary
of the Governor of the State of Texas."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H.
Windrow.

Remember: There are still 2,000,-
000 American boys on the Rhine and
in Russia. They have to be taken care
of until they finish their job! They
went over there for you! That they
may be taken care of and later
brought home it is your business to
lend the Government money by invest-
ing your savings in W. S. S.

\$2,000 GONE SAYS WILEY VESPERMAN.

Spent Small Fortune On Treatments
Before Finding Relief By Taking
Tanlac.

"I spent at least two thousand dol-
lars on medicines and treatments be-
fore I finally got relief by taking Tan-
lac," said Wiley Vesperman, of 4418
Bowser Avenue, Dallas, Texas.

"I suffered with rheumatism in my
left arm and shoulder for seven years,"
he continued, "and at times I was so
badly crippled up that I would just
have to give up and go to bed. I also
suffered terribly with indigestion, and
what little I ate formed so much gas
that I would belch up my sour, undi-
gested food and would become faint
from dizziness. I could hardly sleep
at night for the misery I was in and in
the morning I would get up feeling so
awful that I could hardly get around."
"But Tanlac has driven away every
bit of the pain and misery, I never suffer
from indigestion and can eat anything I want. My condition has
improved so wonderfully since I started
on Tanlac that I am able now to give
all my time to my business, just like I
did before that awful rheumatism got
its hold on me. My wife is taking
Tanlac, too, and she is just as enthu-
siastic about it as I am."

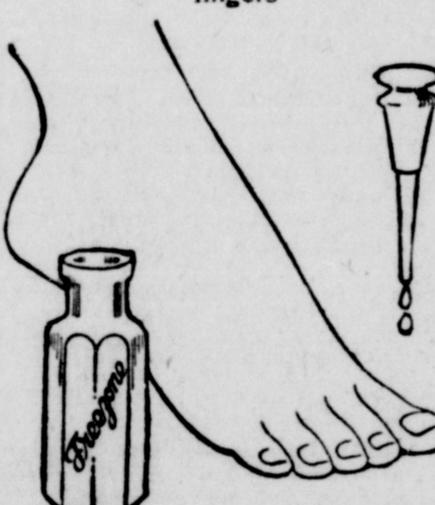
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LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore,

touchy corns off with
fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little
Freezone on an aching corn, instantly
that corn stops hurting, then you lift
it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a
few cents at any drug store, but is suffi-
cient to remove every hard corn, soft
corn, or corn between the toes, and the
calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery
of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Medina

By virtue of a certain Execution and
Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable
District Court of 73rd Judicial
Dist. Bexar County, on the 4th day of
February 1919 by the Clerk of said
Court against J. R. Garnand for the
sum of Two Hundred Forty-two and
67-100 (\$242.67) Dollars and costs of
suit, in cause No. B-15197 in said Court,
styled The Medina Townsite Company,
versus J. R. Garnand, O. V. Secrest &
Brother, M. Coppard, Trustee of O. V.
Secrest & Brother, Bankrupts, and T.
F. Ragsdale, and placed in my hands
for service, I. F. P. Bader, as Sheriff
of Medina County, Texas, did, on the
4th day of March 1919, levy on certain
Real Estate, situated in Medina County,
described as follows, to wit:

In the State of Texas, County of
Medina and Town of "Natalia" known
as Lots Nos. Twenty-one (21), Twenty-
two (22), Twenty-three (23), Twenty-
four (24), Twenty-five (25), Twenty-
six (26), Twenty-seven (27), Twenty-
eight (28), Twenty-nine (29), Thirty-
(30), Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two
(32) in Block No. One Hundred and
Thirty-nine (139) as shown on a plat
and subdivision of parts of original
surveys No. 354. John Hardin; No. 509,
J. Varenne; No. 27, M. W. Dikes;
No. 62, G. M. Crawford; and No. 64,
Wm. Crawford. Said plat and sub-
division being known as Natalia and
duly recorded in the Deed Records of
Medina County, Texas, in Volume A
48, pages 2 and 3, and levied upon as
the property of said J. R. Garnand, O.
V. Secrest & Brother, and M. Coppard,
Trustee of O. V. Secrest & Brother,
Bankrupts. And on Tuesday, the 1st
day of April 1919 at the Court House
door of Medina County, in the town of
Hondo, Texas, between the hours of
ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell
said property at public vendue, for
cash, to the highest bidder, as the
property of said J. R. Garnand, O.
V. Secrest & Brother, and M. Coppard,
Trustee of O. V. Secrest & Brother,
Bankrupts, by virtue of said levy and
Execution and Order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give
this notice by publication, in the Eng-
lish language, once a week for three
consecutive weeks immediately pre-
ceding said day of sale, in the Hondo
Anvil Herald, a newspaper published
in Medina County.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of

March 1919.

J. F. BADER,

Sheriff Medina County, Texas.

Gasoline irons. Holloway Bros.

County Demonstration Agent's Report.

Hondo, Texas, Mch. 19, 1919.

To the Honorable Commissioners Court
of Medina County.

I herewith submit as my report for
the months of Jan. and Feb. ending
Feb. 23th, 1919, the following:

No. miles traveled	1,491
" Schools visited	23
" Conferences with County Agents	9
" Conferences with County Educators	48
" Conferences with County Business men	100
" Conferences with County Farmers	840
" Letters written	610
" Bulletins sent	328
" Meetings held	5
Total attendance at meetings	850
" Terracing Demonstrations	3
Attendance at Demonstrations	125
" Phone calls	280
" Calves vaccinated	667
" Dipping vats tested	1
Of animals treated for various diseases	10
Of implements bought or constructed according to my plans	25

Everything points to a very profit-
able year for the Demonstration work.
I am receiving splendid co-operation
from all parties concerned in the up-
building of the county, and with the
continuance of this, I am sure that
our work will not only be pleasant,
but of untold worth to the people co-
operating.

I am yours for service,
C. M. MERRITT,
County Demonstration Agent, Hondo,
Texas.

The M. E. Colored Church.

The Methodist Freed Man Aid So-
ciety have put on their great Centenary
drive and have promised to the people
of Hondo that if they would secure a
lot they would build us a \$4,000
Church, and we are doing all in our
power and asking all of the good people
of our town to help us. It will be
a credit to the town and people. Of
course times are hard, though we can-
not wait. We are trusting God to
help us through and help us to live.
We want to secure a lot as soon as
possible for we will not get any building
until we get a clear deed.

Now our workers are in clubs, lead-
ers, namely: Frank Pierce, George
Ford, Mrs. Jane Hodge, Mrs. Susan
McCoy, Mrs. Clara Willis, Mrs. Ida
Brackens, Mrs. Elma Hix.

A concert will be given by clubs 6
and 7 at the court house on March 28.
Good singing by boys and girls. 25
cents at the door. Don't kill and eat
any chicken that day; come up there
and get all you want to eat. Come
one, come all.

FRANK PIERCE, President.
MRS. IDA BRACKENS, Secretary.

(Continued.)

actually increased since the armistice.
As for work among the French people,
now that hostilities have ceased, the French themselves naturally prefer
as far as possible to provide for their own. It has accordingly been de-
termined that the guiding principle of
Red Cross policy in France henceforth
shall be to have punctilious regard to
its every responsibility, but to direct
its efforts primarily to assisting French
relief societies. The liberated and devastated regions of France have
been divided by the government into
small districts, each officially assigned
to a designated French relief organiza-
tion.

The American Red Cross work in
France was initiated by a commission
of eighteen men who landed on French
shores June 13, 1917. Since then
some 6,000 persons have been upon the
rolls in France, of whom 7,000 were
actively engaged when the armistice
was signed. An indication of the pres-
ent scale of the work will be obtained
from the fact that the services of 6,000
persons are still required.

"Our American Expeditionary Force
having largely evacuated England, the
activities of the Red Cross Commiss-
sion there are naturally upon a dimin-
ishing scale period. Active operations
are still in progress in Archangel and
Siberia.

"The work in Italy has been almost
entirely on behalf of the civilian pop-
ulation of that country. In the critical
hours of Italy's struggle the American
people, through their Red Cross, sent
practical message of sympathy and
relief, for which the government and
people of Italy have never ceased to
express their gratitude.